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NEWSPAPERMAN TO TAKE BRIDE

When Royal Archibald Rogers prominent local newspaperman attended the exposition last March little did he realize that Daniel Cupid had designs upon him. As Royal strolled along the Marina he met a party of friends. Then he was introduced to Miss Helen McLaughlin, charming and talented young woman of this city.

It was a case of love at first sight, Several months ago the engagement of the couple was announced.

Saturday morning at 11 o'clock at the first Methodist church in Oakland, the erevrend D. W. Calfee wil pronounce the words which will make Rogers and Miss McLaughlin man and wife.

The couple will be attended by Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rihn. A large delegation of local citizens will attend the estivities. Immediately following the ceremonies, the coulpe will board Mr. Rogers private yacht and sail for Siberia where they will spend a short honeymoon.

On the trip the groom plans to secure much data for a new and exhaustive treatise upon the value of Siberian vegetables for soup. "It is my ambition," states Mr. Rogers "to place this important and highly interesting discovery before the world. It will greatly reduce the high cost of living and I am confident that I wil be ranked with Howard French an other famous men."

Royal is a native of California. He is twenty years of age and is a very handsome and popular young man. He is a member of the Richmond lodge of Elks.

The bride to be is active in the affairs of the younger social set of this city. She resides with her cousin Mrs. W. E. Whitehead, 449 Eigth street.

Rogers was tendered a farewell party by a number of his friends in San Francisco tonight.

Upon the return of the couple they wil take up their residence in the Rawmond apartments.

SUIT STARTED BY MARTINEZ BANK VS. MT. DIABLO GARAGE

Suit was started by the Bank of Martinez yesterday against George G. Wilson, trustee of the Mt. Diablo garage, a bankrupt concern. Supevis. or Vincent Hook and S. A. Sellers. The Bank seeks to get judgement on a promissory note, together with Attorney's fees and court costs. The note is for $6000.

REMOVAL SALE

A. A. Winfree pioneer clothier of this city is conducting a great removal sale. Articles are being sold at a great sacrafice and those who wish bargains will certainly find them at his establishment. His advertisement can be found on page eight of this isue. It wil pay you to read it.

NATIVE SONS NAME DELEGATES TO THE GRAND CONVENTION

The Native Sons at their meeting of Wednesday evening selected delegates to the Grand Lodge convention at Modesto, May 7th. H. J. Wildgrube and A. J. Summers were named to represent the local lodge. A. Gerlach son of the local city councilman was present at the meeting Wednesday evening.

TO RETAIN COL. REES

The Richmond Industrial Commission at its meeting yesterday adopted resolutions in which wer outlined precautionary steps toward preventing the removal from this jurisdiction of Colonel Thomas H. Res, chief of engineers, U. S. A for this district. There has been no intimation that Colonel Red, whose first term at this post expired last summer is to be transferred but the commercial bodies are taking no chances.

The Richmond chamber of commerce wil adopt resolutions also. Senator J.C. Owens has arranged to bring up the matter at the next meeting. The San Francisco, Oakland, Sacramento, and Stockton organizations wil also be asked for support.

ST. GEORGE SONS AND DAUGHTERS HAVE A PRIZE WHIST PARTY

Twenty tables were required to seat the whist players who responded to the prize whist party given by the Sons and Daughtera of St. George at Pythian castle last evening. Following the card games refreshments were served and dancing was enjoyed.

The committe in charge consisted of Thomas Board, chairman, I. Pegg C. Millward, Mrs. A. Powell, Mrs. H. Martin, Mrs. T. Board, and Mrs I. Pegg.

Those who won prizes were Mrs. A. E. Stiver, ladies' first: Mrs. C. Swartout, ladies second: Mrs. J. Olsen, ladies' third: Mrs. M. J. Wilson, Gents' first: A. Lambert, gents' second: and A. Kershner, gents' third.

WANTS COIN FOR HER HUSBAND'S DEATH IN ONE LUMP SHE SAYS

Mrs. Mabel Eirich has asked the State Industrial Accident Commission for $4,000 for the death of her husband to be secured from the Standard Oil company by which company he was employed when he received the injury which resulted in his death. Mrs. Eirich is entitled to the money by weekly payments but she says she is competent to handle the lump sum and to invest it wisely. If the Standard Oil company is willing she may get the money according to Secretary White of the Commission.

YOU WILL FIND THESE BANKS JUST ORDINARY PLACES OF BUSINESS—NOT COMPLICATED, MYSTERIOUS ORGANIZATIONS INTENDED ONLY FOR PEOPLE OF LARGE MEANS AND AFFAIRS

You will find corteous officers and tellers ready to wait upon you and explai to you details which may not be clear to you.

If the benefits to be derived from a bank account are not familiar to you, open an account at either of these banks, and let us guide you in the enjoyment of the greatest convenience of modern business.

First National Bank
COMMERCIAL

Richmond Savings Bank
SAVINGS

TEAMSTER DEAD IN BAD RUNAWAY

Chris Hathaway, a teamster, was ground to death under a steel scraper yesterday afternoon, when his team ran away at the Southern Pacific Santa viaduct at the north of the city, near the plant of the General Roofing company.. Hathaway, who was in the employ of James Rutherford, local contractor was a cousin of Frank Meader, poundmaster for the city of Richmond. He is said to have become involved in a dispute with his employer, which resulted in his discharge and was making his way home when the acident occurred.

Dr. U. S. Abbott was summoned to attend the injured man but the latter died before the physician arrived. The Craven hospital ambulence was summoned, but it was too late also. Hathaway's face and head were badly lacerated and his skull was fractured.

FIRE BREAKS OUT IN JOHNSON HOME FROM POOR FLUE

A defective terra cotta flue caused a small blaze to start in the home of R. F. Johnson at First and Barette morning. Neighbors extinguished the blaze before thte repartment arrived, which however made excellent time.

Mr. Burg who owns the property lives in Sacramento.

JOLLY ENTERTAINERS DANCING PARTY IS A SUCCESS—FANCY DANCES

A good crowd attended the dancing party given by the Jolly entertainers at A. O. U. W. Hall last evening. Mis Helen Marian and Herman Giallich of Oakland put on some fancy dancing steps for the local society which were much enjoyed.

APPEARS IN COURT TO ANSWER CHARGE OF DUPING MERCHANT

Gust Alogogin apearedp in the Pustice court of Judge Roth yesterday to answer a charge of twice passing the same check. The suit was brought by George Betts and son and charged that Alogogin had cashed the check in a store and while the clerk was waiting on another customer he disappeared check money and all.

WILL GIVE PRIZES TO STUDENTS FOR BEST "DRY" IDEAS

Pupils attending the California high schools and the 7th and 8th grades of the grammar schools will be given an opportunity this year to win substantial cash prizes for the best suggestion for street car advertising.

Two prizes of $25 sach will be given; two of $10 each, and two of $5 each.

The prizes will be given for the best street car advertising in favor of voting California "dry" at the coming election. The prizes are offered by the California campaign federation.

ACTUAL WORK ON NEW CITY HALL PROGRESSING FAST

Work on the construction of the new city hall on the Burg tract has now taken on a definite appearance. The fondations have been laid and the bricks for the four main walls are belsir laid rapidly.

CURRYS ENTERTAIN AT BIRTHDAY PARTY

As a guest of honor on his forty-third birthday, with his wife as hostess, Reuben Curry was entertained with a party of friends at his home at 443 Sunset avenue, Rust, Wednesday evening.

Whist and dancing interspersed with a few well chosen vocal selections by Clara Lensen, soprano, converted the evening into another of those memorable "Curry Good times".

The whist games were keenly contested. The trophies of the evening for the ladies were won by Miss Lewis, Mrs. Charles Schwake, and Genevieve Stark; While Wm. F. Huber, Charles Trudo, and Wm. Smith captured the gents' prizes.

As a special event Fred Lambert and Nick Ivan took the audience completely from Mrs. Phillip Lee and Charles Schwake which caused much "plausible nice" among "certain people".

JUST THE GIST

Edward Whitesides, clerk at the Stiefwater stores, says he is firmly convinced that a skillful band of automobile thieves is operating in the bay cities. Whitesides, whose machine was stolen three weeks ago went to Oakland yesterday and he said he saw a machine in a Broadway garage bearing a strong resemblance to his car although several parts had been changed. Oakland detectives are trying to learn where the automobile came from and how long it has been in the Oakland garage.

Mrs. Amelia Baptista, a resident of San Jablo for the last twenty four years died at the family home yesterday. She was a native of Portugal and was 58 years of age. She is survived by her husband John Baptista and two daughters, Mrs. Mary Silva and Mrs. Roseline Alameda. Funeral services will be held tomorrow morning at the San Pablo Catholic church at 10 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Joseph's cemetery.

Funeral services for Charles Hathaway, teamster, who was killed in a runaway accident at the General Roofing plant yetserday will be held from the E. B. Smallwood undertaking establishment this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in Sunset View cemeter.

Mrs. Theresa Ruiz, wife of former police sergeant R. N. Ruiz, died yesterday after an illness of four months at the family home 125 Hillside avenue. She was a native of California and was 46 years of age. It is probable funeral services wil be held here tomorrow.

Funeral services for Henry John son, formery a prominent democratic politician, were held today at the with the Reverend Frank Linder officiating. Many friends of Mr. Johnson attended the services and went with the body to Oakland where interment was held in the Mountain view cemetery.

The wedding of Miss Adele Downing, of Richmond, to Ellsworth Athey, Pinole merchant wil take place in Richmond next Monday evening. The Reverend Thomas A. Boyer wil officiate. After a honeymoon in Honolulu th ecouple will make their home in San Francisco.

The contract for building the Boyle building at the north east corner of Macdonald avenue wil in all probability be awarded to Carl Overaa. His bid was the lowest of those opened Thursday by Architect J. B. Ogborn. The building will be two stories in height, stores on the first floor and apartments above. It wil cost about $12,000.

MARTINEZ, March 31.—Dr. C. E. Camp, San Pablo, filed suit today to collect $600 from J. G. Moitoza and H. W. Barnes for the destruction of Dr. Camp's automobile and blacksmith shop owned by defendant owned by the defendants.

Union labor leaders of Richmond will support the candidacy of P. Deasy for nomination for the board of education, acording to an unofficial announcement made yesterday. Deasey is superintendent at the Pacific Porcelain Ware company.

Parents of Richmond school children and others are interested in school work are asked to attend a lecture next Monday evening in the Lincoln school auditorium by Dr. Maria Sanford of the University of Minnesota on "The People, Their Schools and their teachers." The that schools are of as much interest to the adult as the pupil.

Deeds for the widening of Twenty Third street north of Macdonald avenue are in the posession of the city, except three, according to Atty. T. H. DeLap and he expects a court order for the remaining on Monday.

It is reported that the city council on Monday evening will call for an election on the Jitney bus ordinance. City Clerk A. C. Parte announced this morning that the necessary petitions against the Jitney bus ordinance are sufficient and that the ordinance law will not go into effect tomorrow as provided when the petitions were filed but that 600 signatures have been attached to hte petitions 677 of which are valid.

MAKE ARRANGEMENTS FOR JULY FOURTH AT MEET LAST NIGHT

General comittees met last night at the Lincoln school auditorium and discussed plans for the fourth of July celebration. Reports were heard from the various members.

SAY MRS. CALAIS PASSED BAD CHECK

Mrs. Mary Kalis, twenty years of age, and the mother of two children was arrested by constable Fred Davis of Stege Tuesday for passing a bad check for $75 drawn on the First National Bank of Berkeley. Mrs. Kalais said she needed the money to buy food and clothing for herself and two babies. The woman was not confined in jail and in all probability will be allowed to go on probation.

Price Sergeant Jennings, shot by an unidentified man several months ago and who has been confinde to the Lane Hospital in San Francisco was able to leave the hospital for a short time yesterday. He wastaken in a wheel chair about the grounds of the hospital. It is said he will be forced to use this means of getting bout for several weeks before he resigns the use of his lower limbs.

Mrs. B. A. Lang gave a whist party to the 1916 club at her home at 466 Nineteenth street yesterday. Prizes were won by Mrs. B. W. Entrican, first: Mrs. J. E. Lansman, second: and Mrs. A. A. Atrumm, and very capable entertainment by Mrs. Lang made the party unusually enjoyable. The next club affair is set for April 13th at the home of Mrs. H. L. Kittle, 426 Twenty-first street.

The guests were: Mrs. F. L. Bonner, Mrs. B. G. Bennett, Mrs. B. W. Entrican, Mrs. C. L. Gilmore, Mrs. J. M. Hanson, Mrs. H. L. Kittle, Mrs. E Klein, Mrs. J. E. Lansman, Mrs. D. A. Lang, Mrs. A. Meadee, Mrs. T. S. Nee, Mrs. C. Pressler, Mrs. A. Strum, Mrs. A. Strum, Mrs. W. A. Vickery, Mrs. C. R. Heapy, and G G Henry.

Fish and Game commissioner Foster confiscated four hundred pounds of fine bass from the boat of Dave Eldridge on San Pablo bay yesterday afternoon. Eldridge was charged with using undersized nets. The fish were turned over to the poor families of the city. Police Judge Hiram—acobs fined the offender $20.

ONETAHS GAVE WHIST PART YAT PYTHIAN CASTLE WEDNESDAY

A large number of local people attended the prize whist party held by Onetah Council Degree of Pocahontas at Pythian Castle last evening. Prizes were won by the following: Ladies first Mrs. Marie Meneill: ladies' second, Mrs. L. Donnelly: consolation Mrs. A. B. Crockett: Gentlemens first, W. G. Hansen: gentleman's third, J. Lowsley: consolation A. Hudson.

The party was brought to a close with the serving of refreshments and a social dance.

The committe in charge consisted of Miss Anna Moss, chairman, Mrs. G. Doyle and Miss Alice Warrillow.

A theater party wil be given at the Regent theater by Onetah council on the evening of April 6th. Committees have been appointed to sell tickets and make arrangements for a high class entertainment. A number of attractive motion pictures will be shown together with some good vaudeville. Among other specialities will be selections by the Keystone Quartet.

LOCAL FIRM SEES BOOM

Several new lines of porcelain ware specialties wil be added to the products of the Pactic Porcelain Ware Company, acording to an announcement of the company yesterday. Orders recently received for specialty porcelain work are for 150,000 porcelain towel boxes from the Zelerbach paper company which are now being turned out and for 2500 pedestal water fountains from an Australian firm. A supply house of Welington New Zealand has agreed to take $50,000 worth of the products a year from the Richmond factory.

Enlargements contemplated will be made on the site of the Western States plant.

RETIRING CLUB PRESIDENT FETED AT SURPRISE PARTY

A complete surprise was tendered Mrs. S. Zanzi at her home at 221 South Twelfth street Wednesday evening by the ladies of the South Richmond Improvement club. Mrs. Zanzi is former president of the organization but has resigned to go to New Orleans where she will take up her future residence. The evening was plesantly spent in the playing of games, music and dancing. At the conclusion of the evening's entertainment refreshments were served.

SEVEN APPLICATIONS ARE RECEIVED BY THE YEOMEN LAST EVENING

The local lodge of Yeomen received seven applications for membership at their meeting last evening at Pythian Castle. These candidates together with several others will be initiated at a class initiation at Pythian castle next Thuraday evening.

JUDGEMENT RENDERED AGAINST FERRY COMPANY FOR RENT OF STEAMER

The Association of Mare Island Employes of Vallajo has secured judgement against the Richmond San Rafael ferry company for $250 rent for the Steamer Ellen, which the local company rented for a short time and then returned. The Association went to a considerable expense putting the vessel in shape for the ferry company.

DELEGATES TO GRAND LODGE ARE NAMED BY TWILIGHT LODGE

Twilight lodge of Odd Fellows at its meeting Tuesday night named H. B. Hanes and Alfred Mason to represent it at the Grand Lodge convention at San Diego during the second week in May.

SANTA FE COMPANY MAKES ANNOUNCEMENT OF BIG RATE CUTS

Announcement was made by the Santa Fe company this week that rates on asphalt and other by-products of the Standard Oil company would hereafter be shipped at a greatly reduced rate.

SAYLOR WINS AT BILLIARDS

The red ball billiard match was captured by Ben Saylor, who defeated Joe Carney by the margin of fifty points the final score being 150 to 100.

The third game last night was replete with spectacular playing and runs of 14 and 9 in rapid succiesion enabled Saylor to gain such a commanding lead that he ran out his string of 50 points while Carney was collecting 21. Carney was unable to get the ivories to break well, while luck favored his opponent, who managed to nurse the red ball with great skill.

SPECIAL
DEMONSTRATION ALL NEXT WEEK
OF THE FAMOUS TECO SELFRAISING PANCAKE FLOUR AND BUCKWHEAT FLOUR WITH MALTED BUTTER MILK (Powdered).
AN ALUMINUM PANCAKE TURNER FREE WITH EACCH 25c ORDER.
SPECIAL TO-DAY ONLY 3 LB. CORINTHIAN COFFEE REGULAR $1.00 FOR 67c.
Special for one week 14 lbs. best Granulated Sugar $1.00
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ROUNDERS PAGE

LEADING LOCAL PAPER

FRIDAY, MARCH 31, 1916.

RICHMOND LIBRARY IS A TREASURE

A stranger in our midst observed recently that Richmond is rich in the possession of a treasure to which its just degr..e of a treasure to which its just degree of credit has never been given, namely the Carnegie library. The stranger, who by the way, is quite widely traveled and is qualified to judge, following severel visits to the library delivered himself of the following:

"Your local library is as well fitted as the libraries in some towns of much larger size. It is a pleasure to walk into the Richmond library knowing that you can find not only the latest magazines fresh from the press of the publisher but the latest fiction and topical work as well. The latest works are catalogued and put into the shelves with the least possible delay, apparently, because I found there new books on the European war, the drama, art and travel.

No student of literature or lover of fiction could find a better opportunity to keep pace with current literature.

Another feature of Richmond's library is the fact that there are back numbers of most all the magazines easily accessible on the reading room shelves. Readers desiring to keep in close touch with foreign affairs can find the illustrated London News published abroad and other magazines published in America which deal partinently with the war.

There are also filed a number of the California Daily anl weekly publications which give a close insight into the progress and advance of your state.

UNION MEN SHOULUD REGISTER

Headed by P. H. McCarthy president of the state building trades, a group of strong union men of San Francisco has issued a special circular letter to the members of organized labor urging that they immediately get on the great register for this year and that they do so in time to vote to the Presidential primary in May. There is only a few days left in which to register for the coming election. While McCarthy and others did not say so they evidently intended that all union men who vote for the Republican candidates shall vote for the ticket nominated by the Johnson Republicans headed by Robert N. Bulla and down the list 26 times and ending with D. C. Collier of San Diego. It is necessary to vote for the entire twenty-six by stamping a cross after their names. The other "uninstructed" republican list is that gotten up by Harrison Grey Otis and his man Friday-Capitaln John D. Fredericks. There need be no hesitency on the part of union men in making their selection of these two lists of delegates on the Republican side of the house. Another thing that should be remembered in voting is that you can vote any party ticket at the primary even if you are registered "declined to state party."

POSTOFFICE STORY STIRRED 'EM

Evidently The Rounder is being widely read judging from the comment in all circles over the postoffice story which was published last week. That H. G. Stevens is making a strong bid for the place that pays $275 per month was startling news to most of the wise ones in the local political game. W. F. Petillon says that he has not given up the fight by a jugful. However, none of the aspirantts have been able to switch the reecomendation of the county central committee of the party from Frank Hull. It is expected that the appointment will be made in June.

WEEKLY MEETS WITH STRONG FAVOR

Newspaper publishers over the state have sent many congratulatory letters and there has been much published in the way of commendation over the new News in its eight page weekly dress. That it is a much better paper than many of the alleged "dailies" published in this county is admitted by rival publishers themselves.

WHAT WILL NEW GRAND JURY DO

The county will soon have a new grand jury which will be organized next month. The question is "Will the new body be of any real use to the taxpayers or will it just doll along and hire an expert who will issue his usual coat of whitewash and draw down his salary?" The Rounder believes that Judge Latimer should either suspand the grand jury naming altogether or urge the "inquisitorial" body to really do somethinf. The 1915 body tried hard but what did it really accomplish? Do not all answer at once.

There can be no home without a woman; woma nis home and home is woman.

At a depth of 2000 fathoms under the sea the pressure of water is two tons to the square inch, and the temperature is only just above freezing point.

THAT NEW LIQUOR LAW

With a great flourish that arch reformer—Thomas Daniel Johnston is thrown into the alcium rays as the father of the new county liquor law which will soon be ready to enforce. This law will kill the roadhouses that now adorn the highway from Richmond to the county line—that is it will if its enforced, but no one who is wise expects that it will be enforced. Veale would not be so cruel. You all know that. He is too kind hearted to do any such a thing. There is enough law to put the roadhouses out if public opinion wants them killed. There is a great fuss kicked up over these alleged bad places, but it will soon be forgotten in some other kind of a publicity scare.

Corporations Dig Up For Ticket

Now comes wafted on the gentle breezes from up Martinez way a polite request for a donation for the honoring of Our Old Friend and Tried and True Patriot, "Richard Raines Veale who is one of the 26 nominees selected by the Otis-Fredericks, Regular Republicans as delegate to the Chicago convention. The request. Well no labor man will get one. They are coming to the offices of the Big Corporations with a request that $100 or so be given to aid the campaign which will send Dickie Veale back with the rest of the re-actionaries. The request comes from a big corporation manager in one of the plants within the shadows of the court house dome. The letter says that it would be a shame to send back the Eral ticket of United Republicans which is known to represent the kind of Republisanism that Governor Hiram W. Johnson stands for. The money for the Earl ticket which represents the men who have favored the policies which Governor Johnson and union labor stands for is being made up of small contributions. It will send back to Chicago the right kind of Republicans—the kind that the union men want to see sent back.

BUSH WILL GET HIS LICENSE

March 25, 1916.

Editor Daily News,
Richmond Cal.,

Dear Editor:

A request was made of me by one or two labor editors to furnish articles concerning the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act. Enclosed is a brief digest of the act. I should be glad to forward you any contribution from my pen that will also be sent to the editors who have asked for copy.

With best wishes, I remain,
Fraternally yours,
WILL J. FRENCH
Commissioner.

Digest of the Workmen's Compensation, Insurance and Safety Act.—Will J. French

Compensation

This Act, as amended by the Legislature of 1915, and which amendments became effective on August 8, 1915, provides, among other changes, that industrial injuries shall be under the jurisdiction of the Industrial Accident Commission. The change of the word "accident" to injury" makes occupational injuries compensable, and thus brings within the Act occupational diseases.

Medical, surgical and hospital treatment for the injured was limited to ninety days following the accident before the amendments bacame law. Now the Commission has discretion to extend the time in cases where, for special reasons, justice requires such extension.

Compensation starts on the fifteenth day after injury. Medical attention is to be furnished by the employer, or insurance company representing the employer, as soon as the injury occurs.

All employers in California and subject to the compulsory provisions of the Act, but employees engaged in agricultural and kindred pursuits or in household domestic service are excluded, as well as casual worker employed outside the usual business of the employer. Employers and employees in these classes of labor may elect to come under compensation by filing notice with the Commission. Several thousand employers engaged in farming and employers who hire domestic servants have so elected. Those who have not elected are subject to court proceedings under liability for damages.

Compensation for temporary injuries shall not exceed three times the average annual earnings of the employee. Compensation for permanent injuries is based on these three factors: the nature of the physical injury or disfigurement, the occupation and the age. life pensions are payable to those so seriously and permanently injured as to prevent them from working, or those whose earning power is very small. The death benefit is the equivalent of three times the average annual earnings of the employee, provided there are persons wholly dependent. If there are persons partially dependent only, the Commission determines the proportion of the death benefit to be divided among such persons.

If dispute arises between interested parties the Industrial Accident Commission hears evidence and decides the controversy, subject to a limited review by either the Supreme Court or the District Court of Appeal of the Appellate District in which the injured person resides. The Commission findings of fact, in cases where there is substantial conflict of testimony, are conclusive. Applications for adjustment of claims must be presented within six months from date of injury or last payment of compensation.

Lump-sum settlements can be made, if approved by the Commission.

If there are sub-contractors, a contractor and a principal connected with the employment of an injured person, compensation shall be chargeable first to the immediate employer, and if he is financially irresponsible, the claim ascends to either the contractor of the principal, assuming the injured man to have been employed by a sub-contractor. The parties concerned in such employment are relieved if insurance is carriel.

Insurance

Insurance is not compulsory, though compensation is compulsory for all occupations except those before mentioned. An insurance carrier can be substituted for the employer. The obligation to pay then falls upon the carrier.

The State Compensation Insurance Fund sells insurance coverage to employers, to self-employing persons and to casual employees. Insurance companies licensed to transact business in this State by the Insurance, and, employers say form mutual companies under conditions imposed by law to provide their own insurance.

Safety

The Industrial Accident Commission has authority to prepare and make permanent safety orders, rules and regulations, thereby providing safety standards. Sefety muscums can be established.

Eemployers are required to furnish employment that is responsably safe, and this is made obligatory by the Worken's Compensation, Insurance and Saftey Act. Employees cannot interfere with safety devices. Advisers may be appointed who shall, without compensation, assist the Commission in establishing standards of safety.

Orders are presumed to be responsible. In the event of court proceedings the burden of proof that safety orders are not reasonable is placed upon the employer who objects. It is unlawful for any member of the Commission, or for any officer or employee of the Commission, to divulge to any person not connected with the administration of the Act any confidential information concerning the failure of any person to keep any place of employment safe.

Reporting of Industrial Injuries

Employers of labor, insurance carriers and doctors attending injured employees are obliged to report industrial injuries to the Commission under such rules and regulations as may be prescribed.

The Commission has claimed jurisdiction over all controversies arising out of injuries suffered without the territorial limits of this state in those cases where the injured employee is a resident of this state at the time of the injury and the contract of hire was made in this State, and any such employee or his dependents shall be entitled to the compensation or death benefits provided by this Act.

Human Nature

China is going to be sensible, after all. This king business may look all right in a parade, but it no washee.

Colonel Roosevelt arrives at home today—somebody's ears are going to burn before nightfall.

When the Cyclone hit Indiana the large company of authors immediately took refuge in their best cellars.

Sherman of Illinois is officially out as a candidate for President. Why bother, Senator?

While Bryan is delivering his Chautauqua lectures General Pershing is on his way to deliver a Chihuahua lecture.

Villa will let himself be caught one week from tomorrow—keep the date in mind.

More "Opera chairs" are required for the committee rooms of the Board of Supervisors at the City Hall. Some mistake there. What are really needed is musical comedy chairs.

Motorcycles are said to be partically worthless to the police department. Yes, they seem a rather vociferous instrument for gumshoe work.

We are all patiently waiting for that "shortage of Labor" to get here.

That Jack London has resigned from the Socialist party because it is too lame is news. It was thought that his literary successes had dispelled some of his antipathy to things that are.

UNION MEN TO WATCH CANDIDATES

The union me nthis year taught by past experience with legislators are going to watch the men who are seeking labor support for places at Sacramento with more care than ever before. While every session has found some who signed the union "pledge of faith" in union labor principles and agreed to support certain measures at the legislature, the general run of the men who signed up have been true to their promises. Two years ago Will R. Sharkey, who is a member of the typographical union though not actually working at his trade, will not sign the pledge sent him by the union men, the M. M. & E. or the wets or the drys. Despite his refusal to pledge himself to any one and pro\sing a fair deal, he was very fair to labor. His promise to treat union principles fairly worked out well but he was conscientious and always willing to listen to reason. He did not vote for every union labor measure, but he worked with the union legislators on nearly every measure and was commended by our able Special Representative at Sacramento, Paul Scharrenburg.

It looks as though Sharkey will go back this year either as an assemblyman or as senator from both Contra Costa and Marin counties as the successor to Owens. Owens will not run again and Martinelli who managed the Owens forces i nMarin county and who is one ofthe most dealy re-actionerie in California, is anxious to secure the Republican nomination. Martinelli's stand in the Owens recall fight will make him very displeasing to union men in both counties. No one but Sharkey has yet been suggested as a possible opponent to Martinelli.

RUST OPPOSED TO ANNEXATION

It appears as though some of the street paving pirates who want more territory to exploit are seeking to induce the people in this county and just south of Richmond line to favor annexation of that territory to Richmond. "What for?" asks Judge Huber William Rust an dother substantial leaders who have fought and worked for the upbuilding of that section. The local pride of every citizen of Richmond prompts him to wish for his neighbors outside of the city boundaries to join us, but what have we got to offer them? The people of the present known "annexed district" joined Richmond a couple of years ago. They have had very little to enjoy in return for the taxes which they have paid. A few sundry street lights, a slight betterment in the school system which was really not a city matter at all. Before Richmond takes in any more territory it should deal more liberally by the peopl> it annexed so recently.

OBJECTION u

Witelaw Reid used to tell of a couple who removed from New York and purchased a home in a Massachutts village.

One of their visits was to the cemetery.

"We must select a burial lot," the husband remarked. "Life is uncertain, and we had better attend to it at once."

The wife agreed, and choose a site on a hill overlooking a beautiful lake, but the husband objected.

"No, Ann; it's too much of a hill to climb. Let's look dow/ toward the lake."

These lots pleased Ann even better than those more elevated.

"Here, Frederick," she said, "let's decide upon one of these."

"Why, Ann," he replied, "I did think you had better judgement. I shouldn't think of being buried in that low marshy place. It's the unhealthiest spot in the whole cemetery."

SHOULD BE DEAD

One day the doctor was taking Tommy's temperature and while Tommy had the thermometer in his mouth the doctor moved on and happened to turn his back. He pulled the thermometer out of his mouth and popped it into a cup of hot tea. replacing it at the first sign of the medico's turning. When that worthy examined the thermometer he looked first at Tommy and then back to the thermometer and gasped:

"Well my man, you're not dead, but you ought to be."

Hearing is not an active sense until three or four days after birth.

The highest rainfall in England is at Seathwaite, in the Lake district.

Thin, angular ears are said to denote bad temper and cruelty.

Japenese artists push their pencils instead of pulling them.

On pint of water can be turned into 1600 pints of steam.

The violet is the national flower of Greece.

Monday is the best day for recruiting in England.

Social and Fraternal Happenings

CAMP FIRE GIRLS ARE ENTERTAINED AT AXELSON HOME

The Camp fire Girls were entertained at the home of Miss Mabel Axelson on Eleventh street last week. The club is a branch of the Wesley Methodist church, those present were: Misses Helen Freeman, Bernice Frymire, Helen Axelson, Myrtle Best, Eleanor Axelson, Ruth Dreyspring, Gladys Davis, Beth Laufian, Lela McMasters, Carmen Kinney, Bera Peterson and Mabel Axelson.

TWO CANDIDATES ARE INITIATED BY WOODMEN AT MEETING ON FRIDAY

Log Cabin Camp, Woodmen of the World initiated two candidates at its meeting last Friday evening. They were Thomas A. Hawley, and George Van Sickel. George Rebb was transferred from Merced to Log Cabin camp. Delegates to the district convention will be named on the evening of April 7th.

WOMAN'S CATHOLIC ORDER OF FORESTERS INITIATES 6 MORE

The Women's Catholic order of Foresters initiated six candidates into the order at the meeting at Pythian Castle Monday evening. An elaborate banquet was served at the conclusion of the initiatory ceremonies.

About ten candidates are to be initiated at a meeting to be held shortly.

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ODD FELLOWS ELECT DELEGATES TO GRAND LODGE AT SAN DIEGO

Frank Rhoads and F. S. Handley were elected by the Odd Fellows at their meeting at W. O. W. Hall on Monday evening as delegates to the Grand Lodge convention at San Diego in May.

PULLMAN ASKS CITY COUNCIL FOR A NEW FIRE HOUSE—BUY LOTS

Property owners in the annexed district submitted a petition to the city council Monday evening asking that the council go through with the plans it had six months ago for the establishment of a firehouse in the annexed district and for which money was placed in the last tax levy was read, discussed and filed for future reference at the meeting of the city board last evening.

The petition also recited that the people of that section—Pullman and the incorporated part of Stege desire that the city purchase the two lots offered by Burg Brothers—lots 27 and 28 in Block 3, Pullman townsite for $1750.

NEW ROADHOUSE LAW PASSED BY THE COUNTY SUPERVISORS MONDAY

The new roadhouse ordinance by the Board of Supervisors at its meeting last Monday provides that no women shall be alowed onthe premises, no liquor shall be sold or consumed after 12 o'clock, no aliens shall be employed as bartenders or in other capacity and no dancing shall be allowed in the joints. No change was made in the price of the license.

Miramar and Acantha Chapters Meet In Joint Session Thursday

A joint session of Miramar and Acantha Chapters, Order of the Eastern Star took place at Fraternal Hall Tuesday evening. A number of grand officers and visitors were in attendance at the event.

The initiatory work was put on by the officers of Acantha Chapter, headed by Worthy Matron Mrs. Carolina Kinney and Worthy Patron C. C. Olney. The work was the object of many compliments on the part of the visiting officers.

The lodge rooms were decorated for the occasion in daffodils and yellow streamers and each member and guest as they arrived was given a boquet of daffodils. Following the lodge ceremonies refreshments and dancing were enjoyed. The committee of the evening consisted of Mrs. Mary Fitzpatrick, assisted by Worthy Matron Mrs. Elizabeth Gnaga and Worthy Patron C. L. Abbott and other officers of Miramar chapter.

The grand officers present were Grand Matron Elizabeth B. Wheeler of Los Angeles Grand Patron Eric Hammer of Vallejo: Grand Associate Matron Emma Blanchard of Oakland: Grand Conductress Emily Ferguson of San Francisco: Grand Marshall Maud Noble Haven of San Francisco: Past Most Worthy Grand Matron Mrs. Mary E. Partridge of the General Grand Chapter: Past Grand Matron Ada Marsh Dalton of San Francisco: and Past Grand Patron Fanning Ferguson of San Francisco.

Visiting matrons and patrons were, Worthy Matron Annie Bulock, of Golden Chain Chapter, Oakland: Worthy Matron Mrs. Helms, Golden Wave Chapter, San Leandro: Worthy Matron Daisy L. Bonnell, Berkeley Chapter: Worthy Matron Rosalind Wickland, El Vesta Chapter, Oakland: Worthy Matron Genevieve Gleese, Los Cerritos Chapter, Martines: Worthy Matron Lydia Smith, Athens Chapter, Oakland: Worthy Patron Sugg, Golden Chain Chapter, Oakland: Worthy Patron Matthew Morton, West Gate Chapter, Berkeley.

Two district deputy grand matrons were present. They were Mrs. Ethel Sweeter of the Twenty-fourth district and Mrs. Mary English Hutton of the Sixteenth district.

Mrs. Georgia Gutches, former district deputy grand matron was present as the guest of Past Matron Elizabeth Cramer. Grand Matron Eric Hammer was entertained by Dr. C. L. Abbott, worthy patron of Miramar Chapter.

Dr. C. L. Abbott entertained at a dinner party at his home last evening Airik Hammer of Vallejo grand patron: Judge Hiram E. Jacobs, and Deputy City Assessor Roy Fernald, both past patrons of the local chapters.

MRS. GOODWIN IN RICHMOND LOOKING OVER HER PROPERTY

Mrs. Berry Goodwin of San Francisco was in Richmond this week looking over her property interests here and making arrangements for the improvement of her store building at Tenth and Macdonald which is at present being occupied by J. J. Davis.

THEATERS MUST HAVE BETTER FIRE PROTECTION SAYS THE CITY COUNCCIL

The city council, on the suggestion of the fire committee decided at its meeting last Monday evening that local playhouses must comply more explicitly with the requirements of the city fire ordinances. The theater men say the mater company asks too much for hydrants and stands. The matter will be investigated.

GETS SIXTH DAYS FOR DRUNKENESS, SENTENCE SUSPENDED—HE LEAVES

Victor Erickson, who has several times been arrested on charges of drunkeness and distrubing the peace was given a sixty day sentence in the county jail when he appeared before Police Judge Hiram Jacobs last Monday. The sentence was suspended when Erickson agreed to leave town.

FRANCIS WALTON WHO DIED IN AUTOMOBILE SMASH WAS BURIED

Francis Walton, local building contractor who was killed in an automobile accident near Galt last week was buried in the cemetery at Yuba city last Monday.

PERRIN SAYS THERE IS NO TRUTH TO THE CHARGES AGAINST HIM

I. M. Perrin, well known in this city and recently arrested on a charge of being short in his accounts of the Standard Oil company, branch at Winters was in town this week and denies the truth of any of the charges which have been placed against him.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Richmond Daily News will be held at the Labor Temple on Fourth Street, in the city of Richmond, State of California, on the 3rd day of April, at 8 o'clock for the purpose of changing the publication of the Richmond Daily News to a weekly paper.

Respectfully
C. B. O'Hara
Secretary

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MERCHCANTS ASSOCIATION DECIDES IT WILL NOT PAY THE BUSINESS TAX

The Richmond Merchants Association at its meeting last Tuesday evening decided that it would not pay the business tax, a petition against which was recently circulated and presented to the council and upon which that body has decided in opposition to the views of the merchants. An initiative ordinance has been suggested.

BANQUET IS TENDERED TO G. A. R. VETERANS BY THE AUXILLIARY

A delightful banquet was tendered to the G. A. R. Post last Tuesday at noon at Pythian Castle. Department officers were present at the event. Speeches were made by a number of the veterans.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS CONFER KNIGHT RANK AT MEETING TONIGHT

The Knight Rank will be conferred on a class of candidates this evening by Richmond Lodge No. 13 Knights of Pythias. A banquet will be enjoyed.

KNIGHTS AND LADIES OF SECURITY GIVE A SOCIAL DANCE FRIDAY

A social dance was given last Friday evening by the Knights and Ladies of Security at Pythian Castle. Schwartz orchestra furnished the music for the occasion.

JUST THE GIST

Miss Edna Inman, student at the Richmond High school fell from the balcony while witnessing the annual Hi Sirkus last Friday night and received painful injuries.

A telephone message was received by Night Desk Sergeant Frank Standiford, from Oakland last Friday night asking that the husband of Mrs. Mary Scheidig be located as Mrs. Scheidig was seriously ill in a hospital there.

Announcement was made this week that Dr. W. J. Caesar is to open a high class sanitarium in the old Steel residence on Macdonald avenue.

A fine baby boy arrrived at the home of Lieutenant Moore of Fire company no. 2 last Tuesday.

The Yara Yara club enjoyed a dancing party at Polytechnic hall on last Saturday evening.

Mrs. C. H. Robenson was a visitor in this city this week.

Work on the wharf of the Richmond San Rafael ferry wheart has been started in preparation for the accomodation of the new steamer harles Van Damme whch is under construction at Benicia.

A. O. Duggan, local realty man, was in Crockett several days this week on business.

A beautiful new residence has ben started in the Burg civic center tract by J. C. Anderson, recently connected with the local bowling alleys.

Laying of bricks for the new city hal lwas started last week.

James E. Estes, clerk at the Standard Oil company barrel house is training for a hike from the city hall in Oakland to San Jose which distance he says he can cover in 20 hours.

A local poolroom operator received something of a shock when he broached the subject of opening a gambling joint at Stege in conjunction with a pool room. Constable Davis told there would be nothing doing.

Ah Lee and Ah Young, two Chinese, pleaded guilty to a charge of operating a lottery last Saturday. The were fined $25 by Judge Jacobs.

Charles Hamilton of this city was arrrested in San Francisco on a charge of manslaughter. Hamilton who is an engineer in the employ of the Santa Fe company is alleged to have run down a workman on the tracks.

CITY WILL FIGHT SUIT BEING WAGED BY LARGE CONTRACTING COMPANY

The city council Monday evening authorized the city auditor to draw a check for $1,153.60 to be deposited in the Superior court at San Francisco to the credit of Shattuck-Edinger company which is suing the city for $7,167.00. The city will fight the suit.

PASSES FICTITIOUS CHECK ON LOCAL MERCHANT—SIGNS TAYLOR'S NAME

A man believed to be E. H. Schrader passed a fictitious check for $85 on Adolph Winters, local florist yesterday afternoon. He purchased a phonograph for $75 and took $10 in change. He ordered the machine sent to a phony address. The name of a local man, that of O. L. Taylor was forged to the check.

PHELAN WILL LEND ASSISTANCE TO THE POSTOFFICE MOVEMENT

Secretary J. A. Long announced last Tuesday the receipt of a communication from Senator James D. Phelan acknowledging the arrival of a set of resolutions sent by the city council on the suggestion of the chamber of commerce asking Mr. Phelan's assistance in procuring a new postiffice building for this city.

BOARD MAY PURCHASE THREE LOTS ADJACCENT TO THE LINCOLN SCHOOL

If the Board of education satisfactorily consumates pending negotiations with Dr. W. C. Reid and Pulse Brothers for their property on Ninth and Tenth streets, three and a half lots will be purchased upon which to construct additional quarters for the accomodation of the students who are at present housed in unsanitary shacks on the grounds.

LUCE THANKS FANS FOR THEIR KINDLY AID AND SUPPORT

Manager Bill Luce extended a vote of thanks to the fans who aided him in making arrangements for the parade and baseball game last Sunday.

The Local Lodge of Moose attended a minstrel show and dance Thursday evening by the eBrkeley Lodge.

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D. WILKINSON, Consul.
C. B. EVANS, Clerk.

LADIES CIRCLE OF G. A. R.
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ANNA JARVIS, President.
MAY ERSKINE, Sec.

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J. W. Shell, Recording secretary.

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Tulip Milk, per tin 5c
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Sandwich Tuna, per tin 5c
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RICHMOND ELKS MAY TACKLE MAC

There is a probability that the famous clowns of Mister Joe McNamara, circus magnate wil perform against the Richmond Elks on the afternoon of April 9th. Yoe has assembled his usual collection of basebal freaks at Martinez and plans to open the season by having the Elks defeat his gang.

The citizens of Martinez have dug deep into their pockets and have extracted the necessary kale to establish a basebal ground. These grounds will be officially dedicated on April 9th.

Sunday afternoon Mr. McNamara wil visit our fair city and wil confer with Mr. William Luce, manager of the local team, relative to signing for the following Sunday.

This match would draw a great crowd. Martinez and Richmond are natural rivals and a big troupe of local baseball fans and fannettes would make the excursion trip. Martinez fans and bugettes with the usual facility for punishment would come out in large numbers to see their boys slaughtered.

Just what alibi the hum town scribes are preparing has not yet been learned but it is reported that they have the "morning after brain storm all prepared in advance, even to the headlines which say "Martinez gets cleaned."

So far the boys have used "doped soup" white scoreboard and other explanations. To the one figuring out what their next alibi will be the department will present a new Owl cigar.

COAST LEAGUE FOR CUTEY CUNNINGHAM

If William Cunningham, our own Cutie, can keep up the pace in the Northwest league that he has maintained in these parts, then no one should manifest any great surprise if said William soon landed in the Coast league. During the last three seasons Bill has struck up the remarkable record of .371. This has been built up against some of the best twirlers in the west. Bill has signed with Seattle, receiving a nice fat salary for his services.

Cunningham is a reliable fielder and is fast on his pins. The only drawback to his being assigned a berth in the coast circuit has been his weight. If Bill takes on a couple of pounds just watch the C. L.

MISCELLANEOUS

TO LOAN:—I have money to loan on Real Estate securities. M. J. Kelley, 1202 Macdonald Avenue, Phone Richmond 362.

Health Talks

BY WILLIAM BRADY, M.D.

The Bread And Milk Club Takes A Walk

A YEAR ago we didn't believe it possible. But it has really come to pass. Where's that fellow who says the world stands still?

The Bread and Milk Club, as you know, celebrates Monday of each week by giving the hard-working stomach a much-needed rest. Instead of tickling the palate with all sorts of things members on this day ascetically deny themselves everything but bread and milk or crackers and milk, of which a little every two hours or so.

We were surprised at the rapid growth of membership. Honestly, we thought the average initiate would last about one week. You see, only hearty, over-fed, bilious auto-intoxication victims are eligible, and these poor creatures generally get worried when they can't eat like a horse. But defections were few, and indeed the charter members are still active.

Encouraged in the work of saving the race, we next proposed something positively insane. We suggested that each member in good standing should take this prescription for his liver: Two miles of oxygen three times a day.

The Club is now more wieldy, if less tractable. The ranks have thinned out something scandalous. You may lead a high liver to rest his stomach, but you can't make him walk. He is too fond of his automobile and the street cars. Legs, he maintains, were made to admire, not to use. So he resigns from the Club rather than take the new prescription.

But those members who stuck and tried the remedy are delighted. Many were unable to take the full dose prescribed, though they did take smaller doses every day, and invariably found great benefit therefrom. Husbands who followed orders have become more manageable and docile and less critical of home cooking; wives who went along to watch them have reduced from five to twenty pounds and saved considerably on war paint. Bachelors have discovered previously undreamed of virtues in nature and human nature; maids have contributed no inconsiderable share toward the success of the nature study.

The Bread and Milk Club needed just this innovation to save it from taking itself seriously.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Diet And Cookery

Please tell me what book a layreader could obtain which describes diets for sickness and how to cook various foods.

Answer—Dietetics for Nurses, by Drs. Friedenwald and Ruhrah (Saunders) covers the ground.

Dethroning Old King Nic

You suggested some time ago a one-half per cent. solution of silver nitrate as mouthwash and gargle for one who would rid himself of the tobacco habit. Please give exact details.

Answer—Have a druggist dissolve about 30 grains of silver nitrate in a pint (16 ounces) of distilled water, in an amber bottle. Directions: Use two tablespoonfuls as mouthwash and gargle twice a day for a week. Meanwhile be a vegetarian or a near-vegetarian—eat lots of fresh fruit. Chew gum like a stenographer. Eat candy and sweets in general. Keep busy and—invest your tobacco savings in a good life insurance policy.

The Iowa Idea!

My druggist, declares F. F. J., says he never heard of bismuth citrate, one of the ingredients in a formula you suggested for dyeing gray hair black. Please let me know what this is.

Answer—Ask your druggist if he ever heard of the United States Pharmacopoeia. Maybe he searched the almanacs instead.

Vest Pocket Essays

BY GEORGE FITCH

AMERICA UNIVERSITIES—MISSOURI

THE University of Missouri is the Hagenbach of American colleges. It turns out more tame tigers than any other institution in the world, not excluding Princeton.

It is located in, around and all over Columbia, Missouri, a small city which has swelled all out of shape in its efforts to hold the University. Columbia may be reached by taking the Wabash railroad to excess.

This University is the patriarch of all the territory west of the Mississippi River. It was founded in 1839, when California was a Mexican sheep ranch and when Iowa settlers were too busy dodging Indians to indulge in education. It once had a handsome main building with a portico supported by massive Ionic columns. The building burned, but the columns were left standing and are very tenderly preserved, the students being put on their honor not to remove them in their play.

These columns are a beautiful sight and serve to prove that a Greek ruin in this country is twice as interesting and impressive as a Greek building.

The state of Missouri is very liberal with its university. It gives it over a million dollars a year and many fine buildings have been built on the campus. The University competes fiercely each year with the University of Kansas for the freshman from Kansas City and when it gets a majority of these it is as pleased as if its football team had trashed the Jayhawkers all over the field in the annual football game.

The University of Missouri is noted for its School of Journalism, which was one of the first in the country. It is conducted by home talent, Walter Williams, the dean, having been a Columbia newspaper editor, but is

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exporting large numbers of reporters to the United States at large each year.

The University of Missouri has never caused the eastern schools to tremble in their shoes during the football season, but it has just perfected and turned loose upon the field meets of the country a high hurdler who can hop a series of three feet six inch fences faster than anyone else in the world. This accounts for the large and enthusiastic attendance of Missouri alumni at the last western intercollegiate field meet.

Views Of The Press

Concerning Word "None"

IF THE metropolitan newspapers which insist on their writers always using "none" with a singular verb, knew a little more about the English language, they'd get hep to the fact that the word "none" is both singular and plural. "None are" was good English long before the scholarly editors of the King James translation of the Bible wrote "none of these things move me," and has been good English ever since. The trouble is that many metropolitan editors, ignorant of the history of the language and the older literature, humbly accept as law the views of prim purists who want to iron all the life out of the language and substitute starched rules of grammatical regularity for the good old idioms.

To say that "none of the victims was killed," as most big papers so scrupulously insist on doing, not only flies in the face of the natural, colloquial usage of the present day, but it isn't even good English judged by literary standards. Shakespeare would never have said it.

"None" is simply an old Anglo-Saxon word written "nan" when singular and "nane" when plural. We write both singular and plural in the same way—"none"—and good authorities use the word generally as plural. When they want to be more specific, they use "not one" for the singular, as "not one of the victims was killed."

The word "any," which many newspapers insist on using with the same silly restriction, is likewise either singular or plural. "He didn't believe that any of them was hurt" is bad English, in spite of the big papers. Steele, Thackeray or Hawthorne would have written "that any of them were hurt," or "that one of them was hurt."

These facts may be verified from any unabridged dictionary.—*Owensboro Messenger.*

Topics In Brief

Bulgaria, according to one of her diplomats, is merely "waiting for the best offer." Possibly Mr. Wanamaker's billion-dollar bid for Belgium caused Bulgaria to reject the offers already submitted as too low and readvertise for new ones.—*New Orleans Times-Picayune.*

Responsibility for the *Eastland* disaster would have been satisfactorily placed long ago if the captain had only had the forethought to go down with his ship.—*Boston Transcript.*

The West can gain some idea of the wildly radical character of the New York Constitutional Convention when it is told that Elihu Root is the leader of the progressive element.—*New York World.*

Cartoons Of The Day

DEEP ROOTED

—Orr in *Nashville Tennessean*

People's Legal Friend

BY E. R. BRANSON

Each Man His Trade

Q. I want to make a contract in writing with another man with reference to the manufacture of certain articles. Is there anything difficult or technical about this and could I do it myself?

A. You might or might not be able to draw a contract with reference to this matter in such a manner as to protect your interests and at the same time safeguard those of the other man. If the matter is at all intricate, or if you are in the least doubtful, it would be best to consult a lawyer and have him prepare it for you.

A Separation Arrangement

Q. In the State of Nebraska, may a suit for separate maintenance be brought without asking for a divorce, where a husband has not supported his wife and children? A. Yes.

Power Of Attorney

Q. Couldn't I give a power of attorney for the purpose of enabling another person to employ agents and servants for me? A. Yes.

There Are Enough After

Q. Under the laws of South Dakota, is the separate property of a husband liable for the debts of his wife, where such debts were contracted before marriage? A. No.

A Will—Not

Q. Where one person induces another, by means of fraud, to make a will in a certain way, will it be a valid will? A. No.

Hic! A-Off'cer, Is This The Other Side Of The Road?

Q. Does a city have the right to enact and enforce ordinances, affecting pedestrians, forbidding a person to cross the street diagonally, at the intersection of two streets?

A. Ordinances of this character are usually held to be reasonable police regulations and therefore valid.

But They Don't

Q. Are sleeping car companies under a legal duty to provide safe and comfortable cars? A. Yes.

City Ordinance And Insurance

Q. A man in this state (New Jersey) wrote some insurance on buildings within the city fire limits. Is the insurer bound to take notice of the city ordinances? A. Yes.

Another Pepys?

Q. Is there any reason why one could not put a provision in his will, at the time of making the will, providing how he wants private papers, such as personal manuscripts, and diaries, disposed of?

A. There is no reason why you could not.

Pepper Talks

BY GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

Good-by

Sometimes it seems as though Life was nothing but a series of How-do-you-dos, Glad-to-meet-yous, and Good-bys. But I think that Good-bys are the ones in which the human world seems most touched.

There are many kinds of Good-bys. But perhaps the main ones all come under these three: the Good-by to the one that you hope you will never see again; the Good-by to the one that you hope you will see again; and the Good-by to the one you know you will never see again, but whom you will always long to see again.

So that in Good-bys there are Tears as well as Smiles, Hope as well as temporary Despair.

But, in reality, to the great soul, there can be no real sorrowful Good-by. We human beings are so saturated with mere sentiment and precedent that we little appreciate seriously the aftermath of the meaning-full Good-bys.

For myself, I can never be brought to believe that this life ends all. For in these present days we have Love. And Love has no Death. So, for me, there can be no Good-by forever—no matter to whom or under what circumstance the Good-by is said.

So, why don't you join with me in making every Good-by the happiest, gladdest Good-by possible?

Current Poetry

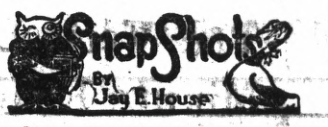
Making A Bad Matter Worse

When my Uncle Alexander in his conduct got so queer
That the squirrels began to chatter every time that he drew near,
I consulted with a doctor, who declared: "It's mental strain;
He has all the early symptoms of a badly skidding brain.
What he needs is some distraction to clear up his cloudy thinks.
I advise a daily session on some quiet golfing links."

So I bought a bunch of niblicks, mashies, brassies and the rest
Of the curious utensils of which golfers are possessed.
And I hired a husky Scotchman, for a handsome wage per day,
To take on my wavering uncle and instruct him how to play.
And so fascinated was he with his drives and putts and swats—
In a week he left off claiming he was Mary Queen of Scots.

But, alas! his conversation, never lucid at the best,
Now excites profound misgivings in my apprehensive breast.
All he talks about is stymies, drives and brassies, greens and tees—
He's become a hopeless victim of the deadly golf disease.
And my conscience gnaws my vitals and my guilty heart is sore;
How I wish my poor old uncle was a harmless nut once more.

—James J. Montague, in *The Houston Chronicle.*



Lillian Russell says scrubbing a dark neck wont do any good. Still, there are many who hold that scrubbing a dark neck is an admirable sanitary precaution.

Too often preserving the honor of the family is only a matter of keeping it from being found out.

The experience of the Kansas man who waited thirty years for a woman is not exceptional. It is that of every married man who is invited to a party.

The rule in politics is that the side that owns the steam roller uses it.

Suggestion to the dramatists: Why not write a play about a faithful wife? The theatrical producers are crying for novelties.

No man who has split kindling believes George Washington chopped down a cherry tree with a hatchet.

After a man has worked five years in a newspaper office all he wants to do is yawn.

In a city there are various ways of achieving it. But in a small town being a thirty-third degree Mason is about the only route to distinction.

A good deal of boiled cabbage gets into society under the name of "cauliflower."

What a man regards as his belief often is only an expression of his hopes.

The neighbors are saying nice things of the Leroy Featherinhams, who celebrated their wedding anniversary the other day. The neighbors say that although the Featherinhams have been married fifteen years they still are good friends.

Sporting Section

NEW OUTFIELDERS FOR RICHMOND CLUB

Baseball enthusiasts of Richmond will watch with considerable interest the performance of the Richmond Elks next Sunday at Luce Park, first street and Macdonald avenue. They will be introduced to Artie Schimpff and Charlie Freine, the former occupying quarters in left field and the latter at short stop.

Schimpff and Freine are both reliable fielders and consistent hitters. They have both had considerable experience in the National Pastime and should fill their predcessors' shoes successfully. Schimpff has seen service in the Coast League and other teams in organized baseball.

Freine will be remembered by followers of college baseball as one of the stars produced by Santa Clara college. Freine started his baseball career as a pitcher but has abandoned that ambition for the outfield. While the loss of Bill Cunningham and Jack Conger is one regretted by local fandom it is certain that the club will not be materially weakened.

At any rate, the fans and fanettes who gather at the First street pasturage Sunday p. m. can satisfy themselves on this particular point.

DENVER TEAM GETS REYNOLDS

DENVER, (Colo), March 30.—Lawrence Reynolds pitcher, formerly with the Detroit American League and the Louisville American Assoc. iation clubs, has been signed by "Rebel" Oakes, manager of the Denver Western League Club, it was announced to-day.

COAST LEAGUE OPENS TUESDAY

The Pacific Coast League will enter into another season next Tuesday. All indications point to a more successful season than ever before. The salary limit has been cut from five thousand five hundred to four thousand five hundred dollars. The player limit has been reduced. Frank Chance, pennant winner for the Cubs is managing one of the teams, the Los Angeles aggregation. All in all things are more favorable than ever before.

A big delegation of local fans are going to be on hand to see the opening game at San Francisco, when the Seals try conclusions with the Portland Beavers.

A notable feature of this year's training is the tact that most of the fans have heretofore witnissed games between the leaguers and semi-pro aggregations on the home grounds, thus detracting from interest in the opening game. This year there has been an absence of all of this. It would be safe to say that baseball interest in Oakland and San Francisco has been aroused to a pitch which perhaps surpasses the interest of former years.

There are many new faces on some of the teams but there are but few changes in th Seals line-up. In Oakland there are a number of new players, which is undoubtedly a good indication from the manner in which interest died down in the Alameda county metropolis last season. There are perhaps more changes in the Portland team than in any other team in the league. McCredie will present a team of almost entire new faces to the San Francisco team Tuesday. The critics to a man have said that the Portland team typifies speed and youth. Upon this McCredie bases his fondest hopes of copping the rag. Portland's outfield is said to be composed entirely of ten second-men.

It is not difficult to believe that his outfield is fast when such an outfielder as Bill Speas becomes a utility outfielder. It is freely predicted that Bolly Southworth, McCredies lefty fielder, who has been placed in the cleanup position and Louis Guisto will be two of the satellites of the league.

Irv Higginbotham, who has been a dependable pitcher for McCredie for several years and who is mentioned as McCredie's choice to pitch the opening game stands a more than even chance to win if he displays anything like his usual form. However he will have to show his best if he hopes to carry away the opening honors from Big Bill Stein.

M'DONALD WILL MANAGE CHICKS

Old Man McDonald who makes his debut as manager of the Petaheard from as yet. According to his heard from as yet. Acording to his followers, and others who are acquainted with the new manager he is a fine sort of a felow and a good sportsman.

It is understood that the chicken town nine will have several additions and subtractions from last year's list of cripples and McDonald expects to clean up on everything in sight.

Just when the local club will mix with the hennery bunch is still a deep dark mystery.

MARTINEZ GETS SUNDAY-SCHOOLS MEET

MARTINEZ, March 30—The annual convention of the Contra Costa county Sunday schools will be held in the Congregational Church in this city May 5 and 6.

WOODBURY PLAYS WITH VISITING TEAM

Indications point to a "mid-season" attendance at Sunday's diamond battle at First street park. There are several reasons, too. One of these can be designated as the appearance of the two new Elks and another, the debut of Mr. Butch Woodbury in the uniform of a rival club. "Butch" who was with the Elks last year has signed with the Sperry club and is holding house in right field.

Butch is very desirous of dimming the brilliancy of some of the local luminaries and to that end will attempt several difficult feats i.e., a couple of home runs and several difficult catches.

With Woodbury as a teammate will be "Red" Lynch, well known in local baseball circles. The sorrel top will work in left field, Pat. rick McDonough, the young man who acted as receiver one game for the Elks last year while Cleek was indisposed will handle the catching department for the visitors.

The pitching portion of the program will be taken care of by Messers Meikle and Lloyd. The former needs no introduction in these parts, while Lloyd has participated in numerous games about the bay.

The remainder of the visiting line up will be composed of W. Croll second Ryan, first: Smith, third Bull Croll, short and Boldt, center. Boldt was with the Ambrose tailors last year.

Frank Gordon has ben selected to open for the Elks. "Little Eva" is in good condition and can be counted on for a good year.

Many of the fans are commenting on the failure of Charlie Burns to finish last Sunday's game. Charles experienced a severe pain across his back and was forced to abandon the struggle. Otherwise—but what's the use.

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3 cans Campbells Beans and soup 25c
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7 large bars Crystal white or best soap 25c
5 cans Salmon reg. 10c size 25c
6 large bars Naptha, Octagon, Babbitts or Ivory 25c
2 large cans Del Monte peaches 25c
2 cans S. & W. Del Monte peas 25c
2 lbs. creamery butter 65c
2 doz. best ranch eggs 45c
3 large cans tomatoes 25c
25c cans Hershey's cocos today only 15c
Bakers ground chocolate lb. can 22c
3 lbs. fancy blend coffee 50c
Fresh roast coffee lb. 15c
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Organized Labor Section

LOS ANGELES TIMES IS AGAIN DECLARED A LIBELOUS PAPER

LOS ANGELES, March 31.—Once more twelve men sitting as a jury have declared teh Los Angeles Times a libelous sheet.

Last Friday afternoon a verdict for $37,500 was awarded Attorney Joseph Scott in his suit for libel against the Times.

This is the third sucessive victory for Attorney Scott in libel suits against the Times, and brings the total awarded him to $68,500.

In the verdict returned last week the jury fixed the actual damages at $7500 and the punitive damages at $30,000.

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SILK MAGNATES YIELD TO DEMAND OF LABOR AFTER VIGOROUS FIGHT

PATERSON, N. J., March 20—Formal announcement was made today that the Silk Manufacturers' Association will grant the demand of the workers for a nine hour day, efective April 3. The employes, now working ten hours, recently threatened to strike if the concession was not made. About 175 firms are affiliated with the association, and a majority of some 100 smaller plants also are expected to yield.

CEMENT WORKERS

Local No. 138, A. B. and C. W. meets Second and Fourth Wednesday evenings of each month at 8 o'clock, in Labor Temple, 4th street, near Macdonald.

J. H. DUUS, President.
JOHN THOMSON, Sec.-Treas., 154 Thirteenth Street.

COUNCIL NOTES

On request of Fire Chief Lemoin, a resolution of condolence on the death of Fire Chief Kenny of Kerkeley, was ordered sent to the family.

The city will furnish the oil and dust and Contractor Page wil lay oil on west side hill streets this year. The oiling will take the place of water sprinkling.

Ben Brignone, formerly of hotel Columbo has applied for a transfer of the liquor license of Roma Bolla at the National hotel, Standard avenue. Bolla disappeared nearly a year ago.

A letter of thanks from the new Women's civic center club for the use of city owned benches was read and filed.

The council decided formaly to petition to the State Railroad commission for a permit to open Fourth Strett across the Santa Fe tracks. The opening of thir street, which the commission would not allow wil be abandoned but the property owners in the assessment district who put up money for the expenses of the opening have no way in which to get their money back,,

E. H. Turley secured a permit to lay a cement sidewalk in front of his property in Arizona street near Alvarado, west side. Engineer Chapman wil fix the grades.

A petition signed by four property owners asking for an arc light at Virginia and Sixteenth street was referred to the light committee.

A long letter from D. Macdonald Oakland, asking the concil to hurry with its harbor work was read and filed without comment.

The city clerk was instructed to renew the agreement with the San Francisco-Oakland terminal railways company for the free use of poles of the company for wires for the fire alarm system.

F. M. Smith, foreman, resigned to take effect on April first. The appointment to fill the vacancy will be made next Monday evening.

MUSICIANS ELECT C. C. SPENCER VICE-PRESIDENT TUESDAY

The Musician's Union at its meeting last Monday night elected C. C. Spencer vice-president of the local. Spencer, is one of the most active and popular of the union. A number of women friends were entertained by the union at its meeting.

FIRE PROTECTION TO BE PROVIDED GENERAL ROOFING CO. PLANT

The Fire committee of the city council has decided to make arrangements for fire protection for the plant of the General Roofing company now under construction at the junction of the Santa Fe and Southern Pacific tracks at the north of the city.

FELL IN SWAMP AND STAYED ALL NIGHT CONDITION PRECARIOUS

Laborers on their way to work found the prostrate body of William Voltz in the swamps neai the Cutting aCnal Tuesday morning at about six o'clock and removed it to the police station where the man was revived. His condition was at first thought to be highly dangerous as the night's exposure left him in a weakened condition. Voltz is believed to have been intoxicated when he fell in the bog.

"BLIND PIG" SUSPECT BEFORE POLICE COURT CONTINUED BY JUDGE

The case of Angelo Palizaoli, Pullman resident, arrested on a charge of conducting a "blind pig" was heard in the police court of Judge Hiram Jacobs last Tuesday and continued indefinately.

CUT RATE BARBER SHOP IN BUTTE IS DYNAMITED FOR ANTI-LABOR STAND

BUTTE, Mont., March 30—The "cut rate" barber shop was dynamited at 3 o'clock this morning, the rear of the building being blown out. The shop had been running about ten days.

This shop had inaugurated a campaign to break the union scale prevailing in thi scity. The property damage was not large.

ARE TO DESIGNATE ASPIRANTS FOR THE SCHOOL BOARD ON 26

The two highest aspirants for membership to the school board will be designated on April 26th, to be voted upon at the final election May 6th. The time has expired when candidates may be named and the nominations will be closed for the regular election next week.

PACIFIC TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH GETS PHONE FRANCHISE AT LOW SUM

The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company bought the 45 year telephone franchise from the city of Richmond last Monday evening for the ridiculous sum of $220. Fitz, who appeared at the meeting the previous week was not present to raise his former offer. Anyhow the city is $120 ahead on the deal.

L. H. GROSJEAN IS GOING TO MISSOURI TO EXPERT A MINE

L. H. Grosjean, formerly a well known business man of this city was in town last Tuesday. He stated that he expected to leave on May 10th for a small town in Missouri where he will expert some claims.

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AT PANTAGES

(By Andy Lewis)

I am not a dramatic critic neither am I a writer. I am just pure actor.

When Manager Cornell of the Pantages asked me to stay over a day, before leaving for the south, and write a critism for this newspaper. I hesitated. Why should an actor critize his own people? Could it not be termed jealousy, for a last week's feature to critize this week's show?

But I had heard of the show, and I wanted to see it. I stayed over Sunday, and am now spending ony my way to Los Angales, well repaid for the change in my plans.

I am going to describe the show as it appeared to an actor of thirty years experience. Perhaps I saw some things the public did not. Perhaps they saw things I did not. For the crudity in writing I can only say that I am not a writer.

A canary—an ordinary canary, astounded the big audience at the Pantages yesterday with one of the most remarkable exhibiions ever seen on any stage. It was a canary with a mocking bird voice—and more. It gave the calls of every other bird—and actually sang music played before it by a violinist. Note for note, it repeated the tunes offered by the audience. This most astonishing exhibition of training and intelligence, surpassing all bird or animal acts I have ever seen, left me more dumfounded even than the audience. I undersetnd that scientists cannot explain it—they say it is impossible—but the chowd and I saw it, and had to believe against our reason. Nothing like it has ever before been seen on the stage to my knowledge. I had heard of it as a feature at the Palace and other big New York theaters. Now I believe the story.

The wonderful singers of the La Scala Sextette render the famous songs of opera with extreme artistry. In fact, they are absolutely the best operatic ensemble I have evre seen in vaudeville. I understand that Signor Puccini and Arturo Brava are famed already in Oakland. They deserve it. This act was a particular joy to me, and I hope, will be to the people of this city during the coming week. The stage setting and costumes are gorgeous. The renditions of selections from "Martha," Lucia" and "Rigoletto" are especially good.

"The Dairy Maids" is the first good tabloid musical comedy I have seen in months—and it is better than any I have seen before. It is all original. I don't laugh at much but I was almost sick from laughing at this piece. But the funniest thing to me in the show was that long, lean catamaran in Yates and Wheeler. I don't say this because he "Kidded" me when he saw me in the box yesterday— but because he is. They are both female impersonators part of the time, and they offer the most uproarous bunch of nonsnse on the Pantages time. I take off my hat to them (When they have their women's togs on).

"The Iron Claw" is a most sensational film, and I can see mysteries galore developing already. I am going to see this film out—I have the habit already. Wright and Davis have a clever comedy act, Angelo Arminta and his brothers are really remarkable acrobats—their work is startling—and "the tGrl and the Game" sustains interest.

It was a good show, and I am glad I stayed to see it, I advise Oakland to follow my example—even i fthey havn't promised to write it up.

LANE OBJECTS TO STAND TAKEN BY THE BIG PROPERTY OWNERS

The protest of large property owners in Stege District against the proposed paving of Bay Avenue resulted in a warm discussion before the city council at its meeting last Monday evening. Councilman Lane statted that he was in favor of treating them all alike, without consideration of the extent of their holdings. The small property owner should be given the same consideration as the larger ones in Lane's opinion. The protest was laid over for one week by the council.

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DEEP STUFF

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Have More sense, Daughter?

ONLY TO TRUE

In the language of Mr. Royal Archibald Rogers, Richmond's greatest "benedict to-be, "If two can't live as cheap as one, somebody's gona have some thin eatin."

OH YES INDEED

"Maybe Hoimen Tuller is a handsome guy," admitted Mr. Howard French, famous benedict of former day" but you gotta hand it to little Howard, when it comes to melody."

MAY BE RIGHT AT THAT

Carlton Evangeline Stetson, the billionaire baloon magnate in commenting upon the merits and demerits of Mr. Howard French and Mr. Herman Tuller said: "I admit that Mr. Tuller appears the more handsome of the two but it must be admitted that Howard covers a greater acreage." Continuing, the famous citizen said:" At that I am confident that any jury of honest and conscientitous citizens would decide in my favor both for beauty and ability over both of these stiffs."

WE DOUBT IT

We wonder if Roy Archibald Rogers interviewed Bill Luce or Bill Cottingham or Herman Tuller or Howard French or Otto Dietrich before seriously contemplating such a serious step.

DON'T BLAME HIM

I an interview Mr. Charles Walker, famous department store manager and the man who made "interviews" famous said: "if any one wishes to circulate a petition to reduce the price of suds, I certainly shall not. I have nothing further to say other than (censored)"

MUST BE A REASON

When asked for a comment upon the announcement of the fatal step which Mr. Royal Archibald Rogers contemplates taking, Mr. Fred Newsom, another of our famous benedicts refused to answer.

A DIPLOMAT

When it comes to diplomacy we take off our lid to the news carries. eYsterday one of the kids was hanging around the office. "Why don't you go home?" we inquired. "Aw," he answered "Ma's got company and I always gotta wash the dishes." Perfectly good reason.

BULLETIN

Sir Charles Donnelly, traction magnate announced late today that he decided to take steps to call for a new ballot on the Most Handsome Fan Contest of last season. "With my long and beautiful curly locks," said Sir Charles "I am confident that I would be judged winner." If Holman Tuller, Howard French and Carlton Stetson have anything on me for looks than I agree that Ihave been very unfortunate.

NEWS ITEMS

George Tegriffin blossomed orth with a shoe shine this week, enhancing his appearance greatly.

Royal Archibald Rogers will become a real honest to goodness husband tomorrow at eleven o'clock

Bertum Curry spent fifteen cents for a shave last Wednesday.

James Ford was seen in conversation with William Smith, the famous tobacco king, Tuesday.

NOTICE TO VOTERS

A new and complete registration of voters is required by law during the year 1916.

Registration closes for the purpose of voting at election for school trustees, on March 7th, 1916; for the purpose of voting at Municipal elections of towns of the sixth class, on March 10th, 1916; for the purpose of voting at Presidential Primary election on April 1st, 1916; for the purpose of voting at August Primary election, on July 29th, 1916; and on Oct. 7th, 1916 for the purpose of voting at General Election on Nov. 7th, 1916.

You may register with the county Clerk or any of his deputies.

Dated February 10th, 1916.

J. H. WELLS,
County Clerk of Contra Costa County, California.

The following named persons are registration deputies:

A. C. Faris, City Hall, Richmond, Cal.
Mrs. Mary D. Neill, 154 Washington Ave., Richmond.
Geo. K. Drew, 114 Washington Ave. Richmond.
I. R. Vaughn, 420 Macdonald Ave. Richmond
Miss Nannie Nesbitt, 621 Bissell Ave. Richmond.
Mrs. Florilla Brown, Stege, P. O.
M. J. Gordon, 319 Macdonald Ave. Richmond.
Fred C. Schram, 422 Macdonald Ave. Richmond.
L. J. Thole, 1923 Macdonald Ave. Richmond.
W. J. Richards, Jr. 915 Macdonald Ave. Richmond.
Mrs. Henrietta King, 234 Barrett Ave. Richmond.
Mrs. Laura B. Crampton, 624 Chanler Ave. Richmond.
Frank M. Hive, San Pablo.
George H. Vilsmier, San Pablo.
A. W. MacKinnon, Rust.
Hermann Rust, Rust.
H. P. Davis, Rust.

RECEIVED WORD THAT BROTHER-IN-LAW IS HURT IN DYNAMITE EXPLOSION

Word was received this week by Mrs.. C. M. Concannon that her brother-in-law, Eric Fulton lost the sight of one eye, a broken knee cap and several other more or less serious injuries in a dynamite explosion which took place at Fair Oaks, north of Sacramento recently. For a time it was feared that he could not recover his injuries.

SAVAGE APPOINTED BUSINESS AGENT FOR CONTRA COSTA COUNTY

Charles W. Savage, well known in union labor circles in Oakland, and other bay cities, has been appointed Business Agent for the Sheet Metal Workers in Alameda and Contra Costa counties. Savage is an able and efficient worker in the cause of union labor and it is felt that sucecss wil crown his efforts as a mediator.

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO

In the Matter of the Estate of Michael Norton, deceased.
No. 7100, Dept. 2.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY BY ADMINISTRATOR AT PRIVATE SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in pursuance of the order of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sacramento, duly given and made on the 13th day of March, 1916, in the above entitled proceeding, Harry W. Leonard, the administrator of the estate of Michael Norton, deceased, will sell on or after Monday the 10th day of April, 1916, in the County of Sacramento, State of California, to the highest bidder, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned at private sale, subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, the following described real property belonging to said estate: Real property situated in the County of Contra Costa, State of California, described as follows, to wit: Lot No. Forty-three (43) of Block 11, as said Lot and Block are delineated and so designated on that certain map entitled "Pullman Town-site, Contra Costa County, California" recorded in the office of the County Recorder of said County of Contra Costa, on the 7th day of March, 1910.

Terms and conditions of sale: Cash, gold coin of the United States of America; ten per cent of the purchase price to accompany bid for said property; balance on confirmation of sale by said Superior Court.

Bids and offers must be in writing and may be left at the office of C. H. S. Bidwell, attorney for said Harry W. Leonard, the administrator of said estate, situated in Room 505 Bryte Building, which building is located on the south-west corner of 7th and J Streets in the City of Sacramento, County of Sacramento, State of California, or may be delivered to said administrator personally or may be filed with the Clerk of said Superior Court at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the making of said sale.

Dated March 22nd, 1916.

HARRY W. LEONARD
Administrator of the estate of Michael Norton, deceased.

C. H. S. Bidwell, Attorney for Administrator, 505 Bryte Bldg., Sacramento, California.

MOTORCYCLIST IS RUN DOWN

Alfred Moitoza of Twenty Third and Main streets this city while rounding the corner of Twelfth and Macdonald avenues last Sunday evening on his motorcycle was run down by an automobile and thrown violently against the curb. The driver of the machine stopped, came back, and inquired if Moitoza was seriously injured, to which the latter replied he was not. The motorist then continued his way. His name or the number of the machine was not taken. The motorcycle struck two men who were passing along the sidewalk, one of them Charles Jensen, eJnsen, infuriated at being struck and suffering some momentaary pain from the blow, is said to have kicked Moitoza in the eye before the latter could arise from his position in the gutter.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE DISTRICT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA.

In the Matter of Martin James Mufich, Bankrupt.

In Bankruptcy, No. 9998.

To the creditors of Martin James Mufich, of the County of Contra Costa, district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 14th day of March, A. D. 1916, the said Martin James Mufich was duly adjudicated a bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at 704 Union Savings Bank Bldg., in the City of Oakland, State aforesaid, on the 10th day of April A. D. 1916, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of proving their claims against the estate of said bankrupt, and examining said bankrupt and that at the same time and place all creditors whose claims have been duly proven and allowed shall appoint one or three trustees of said estate, and also may consider whether such trustee or trustees shall be authorized to sell the property of the estate.

Claims must be prepared in form required by the Bankruptcy Act, and sworn to.

Dated, Oakland, Cal., March 25th A. D., 1916.

W. S. Robenson, Attorney for Petitioner.

Wm. J. Hayes. 704 Union Savings Bank Bldg., 13th and Broadway, Oakland, California. Referee in Bankruptcy in and for the counties of Alameda and Contra Costa, State of California.

ASSESSOR'S OFFICE

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

All persons, firms, companies, corporations and associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, Martines, immediately, a statement under oath of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession, or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian, on

FIRST MONDAY OF MARCH, 1916 in accordance with the new constitution. Refusal or neglect to make such sworn statement of all property owned or held in trust, will subject the person so refusing or neglecting to make such sworn statement to the full penalty of the law.

All property owners should see that their property is correctly described on the assessment roll.

Immediate attention is necessary as work on the roll has already been commenced. Proper blanks may be had at the Assessor's office or of his deputies.

All statements must be in the Assessor's office on or before the 1st day of May, 1916.

G. O. MEESE,
March 6-tf County Assessor

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the estate of Lucy E. Cowan, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Lucy E. Cowan, deceased to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the office of Will S. Robenson, 77 Macdonald avenue, Richmond, said administrator's place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Dated Feb. 17, 1916.

CHARLES H. COWAN
Administrator of the estate of Lucy E. Cowan, deceased.
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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

State and County Taxes for the Fiscal Year 1915-1916.

Office of the Collector of State and County Taxes, Martines:

Notice is hereby given that I have received from the Auditor of Contra Costa the Duplicate Assessment Book for the fiscal year 1915-1916, and

And that the taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property, is due and payable on the

Third Monday in October,

and will be delinquent on the first Monday in December next thereafter at six o'clock p. m., and that unless paid prior thereto fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the

Last Monday in April,

at six o'clock p. m., an additional five per cent will be added thereto. That the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the

First Monday in January next, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April next, next thereafter, at six o'clock p. m., and unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

That all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

Taxes are due and payable at the office of the Tax Collector, in the Courthouse at Martines, Contra Costa county, California.

MARTIN W. JOOST,
Tax Collector Contra Costa County.

CERTIFICATE OF CO-PARTNERSHIP

Fictitious Name

State of California
County of Contra Costa ss

We the undersigned, hereby certify that we are partners, transacting business at the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, under a fictitious name, or a designation not showing the names of the persons interested as partners in such business; that the aforesaid fictitious name or designation is "Gibbs Cash Grocery;" that the names in full and the places of residence of all the members of such partnership, so transacting business as aforesaid, are as follows: Joseph Gibbs, 742 Haight Avenue, Alameda, California, and Charles H. Hunt, 734 Barrett Avenue, Richmond, California.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We have hereunto set our hands and seals at the City of Richmond, California, this 14th day of February, 1916.

Joseph Gibb (SEAL)
Charles H. Hunt (SEAL)

State of California,)ss
County of Contra Costa)

On this 14th day of February, 1916, before me, Homer G. Stidham, a Notary Public in and for said County residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Joseph Gibbs and Charles H. Hunt, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF,I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official Seal, at my office in the County of Contra Costa, the day and year in this Certificate first above written.

(NOTARY SEAL)
Homer G. Stidham
Notary Public in and for the County of Contra Costa, State of California.

ENDORSED NO. 221

Filed in the office of the County Clerk of Contra Costa County, State of California, this 23rd day of February 1916.

J. H. Wells, County Clerk.
S. Wells, Deputy Clerk.

March 16-23-30-Apr.6-13

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EIGHT HOUR DAY DEMANDED

NEW YORK, March 30—Representatives of the International Railroad Brotherhood embracing 360,000 railroad employes, gave an ultimatum to the General Managers of 450 railroad companies, for an eight hour day for all railroad employes. An answer is demanded by April 29th. It is firmly believed the railroad companies wil decline the damand and seex some other arrangements. A. N. Stone is the principal representative.

WILL SHARKEY FOR SENATOR

Will R. Sharkey of Martinez, present Assemblyman from Contra Costa county, yesterday announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for State Senator. Sharkey has been a supporter of the Johnson administration and will seek also the Progressive nomination. He is owner of the Martines "Standard," a daily newspaper.

FED. INSPECTORS CONDEMN BOAT

MARTINEZ, March 30—Traffic on the Martinez-Benicia ferry is temporarily suspended because of today's action of the Federal inspectors in demanding immediate repairs on the City of Seattle. An attempt is being made to obtain the ferry boat Ellen to continue the service.

Dr. Walker of the Calvary Baptist church will discuss local issues under the topic "Shall Richmond Laws be Enforced" previous to the regular sermon Sunday evening.

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SENATOR OWENS SUED FOR NOTE

State Senator Owens of Richmond who was sued for $1200 by Mrs. Emma T. Mesow says the woman bought property from him and did not complete the payments. He says he offered to allow her credit for the ammount but that she failed to take advantage of his offer.

ANNIVERSARY DAY AT WESLEY M. E. CHURCH

The people of the Wesley church are planning for one of the biggest days in the church year next Sunday at the beginning of the second year of work with the present pastor.

At 11 o'clock a. m. Mr. Blackstone, a young man who has built some of the largest business and government buildings in the Orient and has traveled in twenty-four different countries will speak on world conditions.

At the evening vesper services Frank Linder, the pastor, will speak on the "Minister on Triah" The basis of this lecture wil be the new novel "Held to Answer. The highest price story ever written of which more than twenty thousand copies have been sold in the last two weeks

The women of the new Civic Center Improvement club met this afternoon with the heads of the various other city betterment organizations and discussed co-oporation in the matter of beautifying Richmond in a systematic manner.

FLYNN BEATS GUNBOAT SMITH

NEW YORK, March 30—"Porky Flynn," the Boston heavy-weight outfought "Gunboat" Smith of this city in a ten-round bout here tonight. Flynn weighed 195 pounds and Smith 182.

KEWPIE WHIST.

A sufficient number of card players gathered to fill fifteen tables of whist at the party given by Richmond Rebekah lodge last evening at W. O. W. hall.

Winfree's Big Removal Sale Begins Saturday April 1st and Ends Saturday April 15th. Everything at Big Reductions Except Overalls

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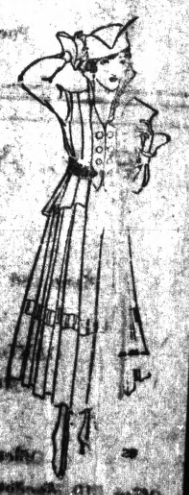

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